

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	)	Group Art Unit: 1656
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Poulouse	)	Examiner: Moore, William W.
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Serial No.: 10/500,936	)	
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Filed: March 25, 2005	)	
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For: Multiply-Substituted Protease	)	
Variants	)	

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**PETITION TO REVIVE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.137(b)**

Attn: Office of Petitions  
Mail Stop Petition  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner to revive the above-captioned application which became unintentionally abandoned by Applicant's failure to respond to the Office Action, mailed November 20, 2006.

Applicant unintentionally failed to respond to the Office Action by the deadline and now promptly, after having realized the omission, submit under separate cover a Response to Office Action Mailed November 20, 2006, as well as authorization for the Commissioner to charge the fee necessitated by this petition and any additional fees necessitated by this filing to Applicant's Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC717-2-US). This paper is submitted in duplicate.

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Consideration of this petition and reinstatement of the pendency of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 21, 2007

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